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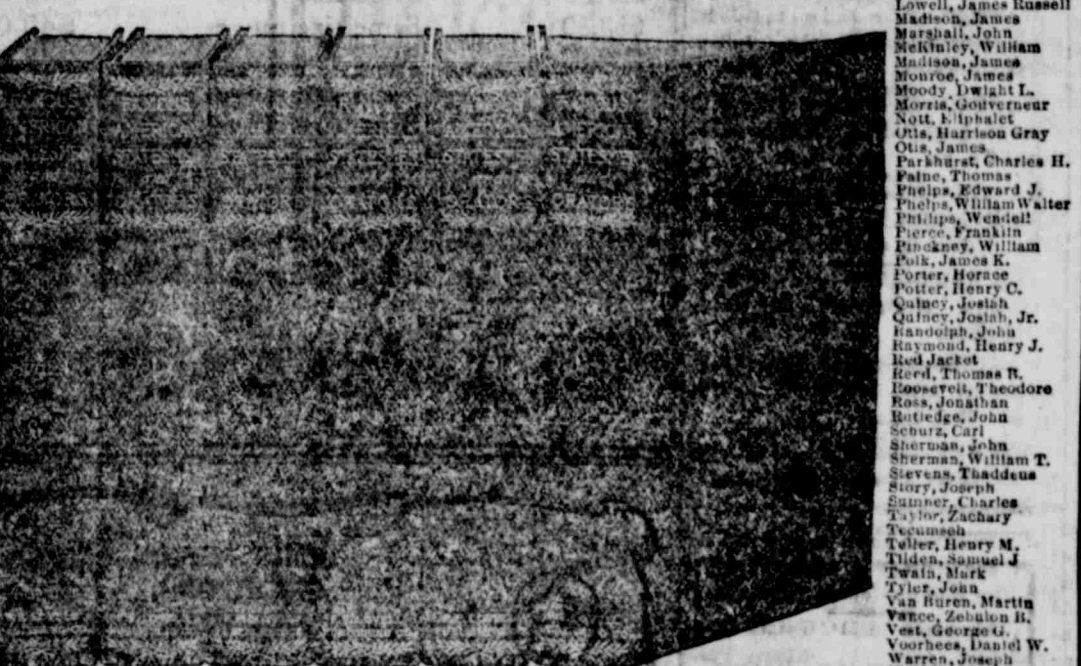
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The police have written to Memphis to ascertain if a report that Pat Miller was killed there by a train, is true. They were asked to write by Laura Randolph, his daughter, of 819 Jackson street, who heard the rumor.

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Master and Old Slave Talked Again.

Tacy Had Not Heard of One Another For Nearly Half a Century.

Union City, Tenn., September 30.—Mr. A. C. Reeds, 78 years of age, one of Union City's oldest and most highly respected citizens, was summoned to the central office of the Cumberland Telephone Company last evening to answer a call from Fulton, Ky. Fearing that his brother Emmett or some member of his family was seriously ill, Mr. Reeds tremblingly answered the call, and was made happy by his fears proving groundless. It was only an 80-year-old darkey who wished to talk with him, and when he found out who it was he was made doubly happy.

The aged darkey was Enos Reeds, whom Mr. Reeds had not seen nor heard of in over forty years. Mr. Reeds and Enos were boys together on the plantation of the former's father in Louisiana. The war came up and Enos ran off to the Yankees. He was captured in Arkansas, and Mr. Reeds went after him, brought him to Hickman, Ky., and started with him back home. On reaching the home of Isaac Davis, Mr. Reeds' uncle, in the Seventh Civil District of this county, about eight miles from Union City, Mr. Reeds decided to leave Enos, return to Louisiana and get a power of attorney from his father to sell the darkey, reasoning that as he had once ran away, he would do so again.

While the young master was gone to secure permission from his father to sell the slave, Enos made his escape, and when young Reeds returned he found the darkey gone, and never heard from him again until he heard his voice through the telephone, hard on to a half century after.

A few days ago, while Mr. Emmett Reeds of Fulton, brother of Mr. A. C. Reeds, was at the St. Louis Fair, he met Enos, accidentally, and invited the old family servant to come home with him and see his young master from whom he made his escape, and the aged darkey, who is quite wealthy, gladly accepted the invitation; and despite the fact that Mr. Reeds is feeble and tottery, he hurried to Fulton to meet his old-time slave and playmate of the long ago.

W. H. Harrison, Cleveland, Miss., writes, Aug. 15, 1902: "I want to say a word of praise for Ballard's Snow Liniment. I stepped on a nail, which caused the cords in my leg to contract and an abscess to rise in my knee, and the doctor told me that I would have a stiff leg, so one day I went to J. F. Lord's drug store (who is now in Denver, Colo.) He recommended a bottle of Snow Liniment; I got a 50c size, and it cured my leg. It is the best liniment in the world.

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AMUSING.

Last Saturday at Guthrie, Ollie James, A. O. Stanley and the other Democratic congressmen were flaying the tobacco trust alive and promising what they would do to it, while at the same time the Courier-Journal is howling because the Republican administration is clipping its wings, claiming that the administration is persecuting the tobacco trust because the said trust has largely contributed financially to the Democratic campaign fund and was actively supporting Parker and Davis. The members of the trust, some of them buying a handsome silk banner displaying the pictures of Parker and Davis. Ain't it amusing? The way to get prices for tobacco is to organize and fix your selling price, and that alone. Free trade or other demagogic harangues by Ollie James, Stanley, Gaizes and others to the contrary notwithstanding.—Princeton Chronicle.

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NEW YORK CITY IS THREATENED WITH THE WORST OUTBREAK IN ITS HISTORY.

New York, September 30.—Greater New York is at present threatened with what may be the severest epidemic of typhoid fever in its history. Not only are the number of typhoid cases reported for the three weeks of September ended last Saturday greater than that of any month last year, but since the beginning of summer the death rate has been so much higher than formerly that the health department is now thoroughly alarmed and is bending every effort toward checking the disease.

When it is considered that the spread of typhoid was greater than it had been for many years, the gravity of the present situation is indicated.

For the three weeks just ended the total number of cases reported at the health department was 441. The fatalities numbered 74, or a death rate of nearly 20 per cent. Last year, during the worst month, that of October, the largest number of cases was 324, and the highest death rate at any time during the year was 13.4 per cent.

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